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In accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 254 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, the patentee Richard McCormick requests that a Certificate of Correction be issued for this U.S. Patent No. 7,601,373. This patent has not been assigned.

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The Certificate of Correction is necessary due to a mistake by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the printing of this patent. The mistake occurs in Item (22) on the cover page of the patent, where the date "Jan. 22, 2002" should be corrected to ---Jan. 22, 2003---.

The correct filing date of the prior International Application No. PCT/IE03/00008 is January 22, 2003, as shown on page 1 of the Declaration and Power of Attorney document filed in Application No. 10/502,509. A copy of that document is enclosed.

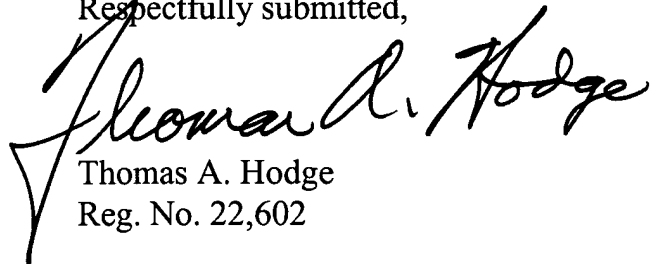
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Therefore, correction of this patent is requested.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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### AN EQUINE FEED PRODUCT

the specification of which was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 23, 2004 and designated as Application Serial No. 10/502,509, which corresponds to the specification filed on January 22, 2003 under the Patent Cooperation Treaty and designated as International Application No. PCT/IE03/00008.

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I claim the priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119 of the following applications:

Irish Patent Application No. S020036, filed January 23, 2002

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